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<u>GENERAL</u>	
1102.0	Publications Issued in July 1987
1212.0	Standardised Local Government Finance Statistics, Western Australia, Year Ended 30 June 1986 (Choice of Priced Packages)(Available on Magnetic Tape and Microfiche)
1304.0	Monthly Summary of Statistics, Australia, August 1987 (\$5.00)
1305.0	Digest of Current Economic Statistics, Australia, June 1987
1101.1	Index of Localities, New South Wales, 1987 (\$5.00)
1305.1	Monthly Summary of Statistics, New South Wales, August 1987 (\$1.80)
1303.2	Monthly Summary of Statistics, Victoria, August 1987
1308.2	Monthly Business Indicators, Victoria, August 1987
1304.3	Monthly Summary of Statistics, Queensland, August 1987
1305.3	Queensland in Relation to Australia, 1987
1307.3	Economic Indicators, Queensland, August 1987
1306.5	Western Australia in Brief, 1987
1303.4	Monthly Summary of Statistics, South Australia, August 1987
1303.6	Monthly Summary of Statistics, Tasmania, August 1987
1306.6	Major Economic Indicators, Tasmania, March Quarter 1987
1305.7	Summary of Statistics, Northern Territory, March Quarter 1987
1314.8	Australian Capital Territory at a Glance, 1987

CENSUS OF POPULATION AND HOUSING, 1986

NEW ISSUE	2455.0	Census 86 : Age and Sex of Persons in Statistical Local Areas and Statistical Divisions, Victoria (\$2.30)
	2201.6	Census 86 : Characteristics of Persons and Dwellings in Hobart and Suburbs, Tasmania
	2401.6	Census 86 : Characteristics of Population and Dwellings in Local Government Areas, Tasmania

POPULATION : VITAL STATISTICS AND MIGRATION

3401.0	Overseas Arrivals and Departures, Australia, June 1987
3402.0	Overseas Arrivals and Departures, Australia, December Quarter 1986

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POPULATION : VITAL STATISTICS AND MIGRATION - continued

3305.2	Births, Victoria, 1986
3304.3	Marriages, Queensland, 1986
3305.6	Marriages, Tasmania, 1986

EDUCATION : LAW, ORDER AND PUBLIC SAFETY: OTHER SOCIAL

4502.4	Higher Courts : Criminal Matters, South Australia, 1985
4505.6	Children's Courts Statistics, Tasmania, 1986
4507.6	Higher Court Statistics, Tasmania, 1986

NATIONAL ACCOUNTS, BALANCE OF PAYMENTS AND FOREIGN TRADE

	5206.0	Quarterly Estimates of National Income and Expenditure, Australia, June Quarter 1987 (\$1.80)
NEW ISSUE	5226.0	Gross Domestic Product at Purchasing Power Parity in OECD Countries, 1985
	5301.0	Balance of Payments, Australia, July 1987
	5306.0	Foreign Investment, Australia, March Quarter 1987
	5307.0	Foreign Investment, Australia, June Quarter 1987, Preliminary (Previously : Foreign Investment in Australia, Preliminary)
NEW ISSUE	5343.0	Foreign Ownership and Control of the Private Sector Construction Industry, Australia, 1984-85
	5422.0	Exports and Imports, Australia : Trade with Selected Countries and Major Country Groups, June Quarter 1987
	5425.0	Customs and Excise Revenue, Australia, May 1987
	5425.0	Customs and Excise Revenue, Australia, June 1987
	5432.0	Exports, Australia, Monthly Summary Tables, June 1987
	5433.0	Imports, Australia, Monthly Summary Tables, June 1987
	5434.0	Exports, Australia, June Quarter 1987 (\$1.80)
	5435.0	Imports, Australia, June Quarter 1987 (\$1.80)
	5436.0	Corrigendum : Foreign Trade, Australia, Exports, 1985-86

PUBLIC FINANCE

	5502.0	Commonwealth Government Finance, Australia, 1985-86 (\$1.80)
	5502.0	Corrigendum : Commonwealth Government Finance, Australia, 1985-86
	5502.3	Local Government, Queensland, 1985-86 (\$2.90)
	5501.6	Local Government Finance, Tasmania, 1985-86 (\$1.80)

PRIVATE FINANCE

	5602.0	Savings Banks, Australia, June 1987
	5603.0	Major Trading Banks, Australia, July 1987

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5609.0	Housing Finance for Owner Occupation, Australia, June 1987
5625.0	Private New Capital Expenditure, Australia, June Quarter 1987 Survey, Preliminary
5628.0	New Capital Raisings by Companies Listed on Australian Stock Exchanges, Quarter Ended March 1987
5629.0	Stocks and Manufacturers' Sales, Australia, June Quarter 1987
5637.0	Building Societies, Australia, June 1987
5638.0	Authorised Dealers and Money Market Corporations, Australia, June 1987
5639.0	Finance Companies, Australia, June 1987
5642.0	Personal Finance, Australia, June 1987
5643.0	Commercial Finance, Australia, June 1987
5644.0	Lease Finance, Australia, June 1987

LABOUR FORCE, EMPLOYMENT CONDITIONS, PRICES AND CONSUMER INCOME

	6104.0	Labour Statistics in Brief, 1987
	6202.0	The Labour Force, Australia, July 1987
	6203.0	The Labour Force, Australia, July 1987 (\$1.80)
	6220.0	Persons Not in the Labour Force, Australia, March 1987, Preliminary
	6241.0	Transition from Education to Work, Australia, May 1987, Summary (Previously : Transition from Education to Work, Australia, Preliminary)
NEW ISSUE	6269.0	Information Paper : Labour Force Survey - Sample Design
	6301.0	Average Weekly Earnings, Australia, May 1987, Preliminary
	6321.0	Industrial Disputes, Australia, April 1987
	6340.0	Alternative Working Arrangements, Australia, September to November 1986, Preliminary
	6401.0	Consumer Price Index, June Quarter 1987
	6405.0	Export Price Index, Australia, June 1987
	6407.0	Price Index of Materials Used in Building Other Than House Building, Six State Capital Cities and Darwin, June 1987
	6408.0	Price Index of Materials Used in House Building, Six State Capital Cities, May 1987
	6410.0	Price Indexes of Copper Materials, Australia, July 1987
	6411.0	Price Indexes of Materials Used in Manufacturing Industries, Australia, June 1987
	6412.0	Price Indexes of Articles Produced by Manufacturing Industry, Australia, May 1987

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NEW ISSUE 6531.0	1984 Household Expenditure Survey, Australia : Household Characteristics (\$1.80, \$2.60 incl. postage)
6201.1	The Labour Force (Including Regional Estimates), New South Wales, May 1987 (\$2.90)
<u>AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND FISHING</u>	
7106.0	Australian Farming in Brief, 1986
7112.0	Selected Agricultural Commodities, Australia, 1986-87, Preliminary
7501.1	Value of Agricultural Commodities Produced, New South Wales, 1985-86 (\$1.80)
7323.2	Apples and Pears in Cool Stores, Victoria, July 1987
7204.3	Livestock Products - Meat, Queensland, July 1987
7503.4	Value of Agricultural Commodities Produced, South Australia, 1985-86
7501.6	Value of Agricultural Commodities Produced, Tasmania, 1985-86
<u>MANUFACTURING AND MINING</u>	
8107.0	Annual Economic Censuses and Surveys - Enterprise Statistics, Australia, 1984-85
8301.0	Production Statistics, Australia, July 1987, Preliminary
8357.0	Production Bulletin No. 1 : Electrical Appliances, Australia, May 1987
8357.0	Production Bulletin No. 1 : Electrical Appliances, Australia, June 1987
8358.0	Production Bulletin No. 2 : Clothing and Footwear, Australia, May 1987
8359.0	Production Bulletin No. 3 : Food, Drink and Tobacco, Australia, May 1987
8361.0	Production Bulletin No. 5 : Building Materials and Fittings, Australia, June 1987
8362.0	Production Bulletin No. 6 : Chemicals and By-products, Australia, May 1987
8363.0	Production Bulletin No. 7 : Motor Vehicles, Motor Bodies and Trailed Vehicles, Australia, June Quarter 1987
8364.0	Production Bulletin No. 8 : Miscellaneous Products, Australia, May 1987
8304.1	Production Statistics, New South Wales, June 1987

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	8405.5 Principal Mining Statistics, Western Australia and Australia, 1985-86
	8203.6 Sawmilling, Woodchipping, etc., Statistics, Tasmania, March Quarter 1987
	8301.6 Miscellaneous Indicators of Production, Tasmania, August 1987
INTERNAL TRADE, BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION	
	8501.0 Retail Sales of Goods (Excluding Motor Vehicles, Parts, Petrol, etc.), Australia, June 1987
	8503.0 Retail Sales of Goods (Excluding Motor Vehicles, Parts, Petrol, etc.), Australia, March Quarter 1987
	8504.0 Sales of Australian Wine and Brandy by Winemakers, June 1987
	8740.1 Dwelling Unit Commencements Reported by Approving Authorities, New South Wales, June 1987, Preliminary
	8635.2 Tourist Accommodation, Victoria, March Quarter 1987
	8731.2 Building Approvals, Victoria, June 1987
	8741.2 Dwelling Unit Commencements Reported by Approving Authorities, Victoria, May 1987
	8635.3 Tourist Accommodation, Queensland, March Quarter 1987
	8730.3 Building Approvals : Preliminary Figures for Dwelling Units Approved, Queensland, July 1987
	8731.3 Building Approvals, Queensland, June 1987
	8741.3 Dwelling Unit Commencements Reported by Approving Authorities, Queensland, May 1987
	8635.5 Tourist Accommodation, Western Australia, March Quarter 1987
NEW ISSUE	8636.5 Tourist Accommodation, Perth Statistical Division, June Quarter 1987, Preliminary
	8731.5 Building Approvals, Western Australia, June 1987
	8732.5 Building Approvals - Private Sector, Perth Statistical Division, July 1987
	8741.5 Dwelling Unit Commencements Reported by Approving Authorities, Western Australia, June 1987
	8731.4 Building Approvals, South Australia, July 1987
	8740.4 Dwelling Unit Commencements Reported by Approving Authorities, South Australia, May 1987, Preliminary
	8731.6 Building Approvals, Tasmania, June 1987
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9301.0	Registrations of New Motor Vehicles, Australia, July 1987, Preliminary
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9401.0	Road Traffic Accidents Involving Fatalities, Australia, July 1987
9303.2	Motor Vehicle Registrations, Victoria, June 1987
9303.3	Motor Vehicle Registrations, Queensland, June 1987
9303.5	Motor Vehicle Registrations, Western Australia, July 1987
9405.5	Road Traffic Accidents Involving Casualties Reported to the Police Department, Western Australia, March Quarter 1987
9303.6	Motor Vehicle Registrations, Tasmania, June 1987

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- 2455.0 Census 86 : Age and Sex of Persons in Statistical Local Areas
and Statistical Divisions, Victoria (\$2.30)

This publication contains basic age and sex counts, based on place of enumeration.

- 5226.0 Gross Domestic Product at Purchasing Power Parity in OECD
Countries, 1985

This publication presents for the first time, comparable estimates of gross domestic product and major national expenditure categories for Australia and other OECD member countries.

- 5343.0 Foreign Ownership and Control of the Private Sector
Construction Industry, Australia, 1984-85

This publication contains data on employment, wages and salaries, turnover, value added and fixed capital expenditure of construction establishments apportioned to ownership by country of ownership, and ASIC class; allocated to control by country of control and ASIC class.

- 6269.0 Information Paper : Labour Force Survey - Sample Design

This information paper provides details of changes to the sample design used for the labour force survey; it discusses potential effects on labour force estimates; and gives background information on the design and history of the survey.

- 6531.0 1984 Household Expenditure Survey, Australia : Household
Characteristics (\$1.80, \$2.60 incl. postage)

This publication presents data on household expenditure by selected household characteristics including sex, composition, employment status, housing tenure and source of income.

- 8405.5 Principal Mining Statistics, Western Australia and Australia,
1985-86

This publication gives a summary of operations of mining establishments in Western Australia and Australia; mineral and petroleum exploration; expenditure and depth drilled, quantity and value of mineral production of selected commodities.

- 8636.5 Tourist Accommodation, Perth Statistical Division, June Quarter
1987, Preliminary

This publication contains details on the number of establishments with facilities providing accommodation; hotels, motels and caravan parks showing capacity, occupancy rates and takings from accommodation for each month by type of establishment for the Perth Statistical Division.